WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER NO. 2954

IN THE MATTER OF:		Served December 24, 1986
Application of ALBERT STRANGE trading as ALBERT STRANGE LIMOUSINE MAXI-VAN SERVICE to Revoke a Portion of Certificate No. 95)))	Case No. AP-86-43
ALBERT STRANGE trading as ALBERT STRANGE LIMOUSINE MAXI-VAN SERVICE Suspension and Investigation of Revocation of Certificate No. 95)))	Case No. MP-86-32

By application filed December 4, 1986, Albert Strange trading as Albert Strange Limousine Maxi-Van Service seeks revocation of that portion of Certificate No. 95 which authorizes the following:

IRREGULAR ROUTES:

(B) CHARTER OPERATIONS, transporting passengers from those facilities of the University of the District of Columbia and the Archdiocese of Washington located in the Metropolitan District to points in the Metropolitan District, and return.

RESTRICTED in . . . (B) to the transportation of passengers in vehicles with a manufacturer's designed seating capacity of 15 passengers or less (including the driver); and

FURTHER RESTRICTED in (B) to transportation performed for the account of either the University of the District of Columbia or a church or school operated under the aegis of the Archdiocese of Washington;

Applicant asserts that there is no longer a need for the service that is authorized by this part of his certificate. He further asserts that the increased cost of insurance required to cover the charter portion of the certificate exceeds revenue earned from providing the service. Because a grant of Mr. Strange's application could directly affect the University of the District of Columbia and

the Archdiocese of Washington, both institutions will be served a copy of this order and given an opportunity to protest.

By motion filed December 4, 1986, Mr. Strange requests that this application also serve to meet the requirements of Order No. 2938, served November 21, 1986. By Order No. 2938, the Commission instituted Case No. MP-86-32 and suspended Certificate No. 95 to the extent that it authorizes charter operations. The order also directed applicant to comply with the provisions of the Compact, Title II, Article XII, Section 9(a) and Commission Regulation No. 62 which deal with insurance. Applicant was directed to file an appropriate certificate of insurance or such other evidence, in writing under oath, as he may deem pertinent to show good cause why his Certificate No. 95 should not be revoked in whole or part. To date applicant has not acquired the required minimum level of insurance protection, and the investigation remains open. Applicant's motion will be placed before the Commission for decision. Pending that decision, the 30-day requirement set by Order No. 2938 will be suspended.

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED:

That the University of the District of Columbia or the Archdiocese of Washington may protest this application by filing with the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission, 1625 I Street, N.W., Room 316, Washington, D.C. 20006, a protest in accordance with Commission Rule No. 14 no later than Wednesday, January 7, 1987, and simultaneously serving a copy of said protest on counsel for Mr. Strange, Joel C. Weingarten, Esquire, 7910 Woodmont Avenue, Suite 914. Bethesda, Md. 20814.

COMMISSION

William H. McGilvery Executive Director

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